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Rural Sanitary District of Norton.



ANNUAL REPORT,

1913.

GENERAL STATISTICS.

Area in Acres	...	...	...	...	...	8,404
Elevation of District from 389—1313 O.D.						
Population, 1911 Census	...	...	...	...	...	3,919
Estimated (middle of year, 1913)	...	...	...	...	...	4,203

INHABITED HOUSES—

Census, 1911	...	...	...	...	...	921
Estimated, 1913	...	...	...	...	...	991
New Houses erected during year	...	...	...	...	...	40
Rateable Value	...	...	...	£26,567	6s. 6d.	
Assessable Value	...	...	...	£24,357	8s. 3d.	

VITAL STATISTICS.

Nett Birth Rate per 1000.	Infantile Mortality per 1000 Births.	Nett Death Rate per 1000.	DEATHS PER 1000.		
			Epidemic Diseases.	Enteric Fever and Diarrhoea.	Phthisis.
17·84	81·08	10·23	·24	Nil.	·47

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GENTLEMEN,

I beg to present my Annual Report for the year 1913.

The amount of Out-door Relief expended in the district during the year was £114 2s. 0d.

The number of houses in the district obtaining their water supply from the Sheffield Water Company is as follows :—

				Total number of Houses.		Supplied by Sheffield Water Co.
Beauchief	...	...	...	6	...	3
Dore	...	...	...	391	...	381
Norton	...	...	...	312	...	270
Totley	...	...	...	244	...	240

At Lowedges (Norton) a group of some 25 houses receive their supply from wells, and practically all houses situated near the mains of the Sheffield Company are connected.

During the year the Heatherfield Estate at Totley has been laid out for building purposes, and arrangements have practically been made with the Sheffield City Council to connect the houses built on this Estate with the sewer in Grove Road.

In my last Annual Report I called attention to the fact that the old sewer from Victoria Road empties into the Totley Brook, just below the Chemical Works. From time to time, especially in hot, dry weather, complaints have been received of an offensive smell near this point. About a quarter of the houses on Bradway Bank are connected with this sewer, the more modern houses being required to drain to cesspools. Higher up the Brook, near Mickley Lane, the sewer from Greenoak runs directly into the stream. Some of the sewage from the north slope of Totley Village also finds its way indirectly into the same stream. In my last Annual Report I suggested the feasibility of acquiring land on the site of the old rolling mill dam for the purpose of treating the sewage from Bradway Bank, Greenoak, and Totley Rise. The willingness of the Sheffield City Council to take the sewage from the Heatherfield Estate suggests the possibility of your Council coming to an agreement with them to receive the sewage from the other parts of Totley and Bradway Bank. In the cases of Victoria Road and Greenoak, direct contamination of the stream would be prevented. At Totley Rise the present charcoal filter could be replaced by a more efficient system, and higher up, the sewer could in time be extended to New Totley and the north side of Totley Village.

The sewage of the south slope of Totley Village is treated by precipitating tanks, just below Grove House, and should the Council adopt a general sewage scheme, this district and Totley Bents would naturally drain to the Totley Brook Road sewer. The replacement of the present independent systems by a more comprehensive and efficient scheme is worth the consideration of the Council.

Five privies have been converted to W.Cs. during the year.

The scavenging throughout the district is carried out by contractors, acting under the direction of the Sanitary Inspector. The cost of scavenging is as follows :—

Norton	...	...	...	£92 per annum.
Dore	...	...	...	£110 „
Totley	...	...	...	£80 „

The refuse is removed about once a month in the more modern houses, while, in the older houses with larger ashpits, the intervals between removal are rather longer.

Urban powers with regard to scavenging are in force throughout the district.

Appended is a return of the work done in the Sanitary Inspector's department during the year.

There is one bakehouse in the district; this has been inspected four times and found satisfactory. There is one registered slaughterhouse in the district; this has been inspected four times and found satisfactory.

There are five public elementary Schools in the district.

During the past year the inspection of these Schools has been carried out under the direction of the County Medical Officer of Health by one of his Assistant Medical Officers.

All the five Schools have the Sheffield Water supply laid on.

No School has been closed during the year by order of your Council.

There are 46 dairies, cowsheds, and milkshops on the register. 71 inspections have been made and six notices served, all of which have been complied with.

Five cases of Tuberculosis of the Udder in milking cows have been reported to me by the Police during the year. In four cases the discovery of the disease was made on the information of the Sheffield City authorities from the examination of tuberculous milk, and in one case the information was given by the owner of the cow.

Appended is a detailed return of the work done during the year under the Housing Act, 1910. The total number of houses inspected during the year was 335. The detailed report of the inspections is appended at the end of the Report. The following is a summary :—

HOUSING AND TOWN PLANNING—

No. of Houses Inspected under Section 17	...	...	335
No. Unfit for Habitation	...	...	1
Representations made to Local Authority as to defects			84
Number Repaired without Closing Order	...	...	22
Number Closed	...	...	1
Number Repaired Voluntarily	...	...	62

From the detailed report it will be seen that in many cases the defects have not been finally dealt with.

The house accommodation for the working classes is, on the whole, good, but being so near Sheffield there is a tendency for the available house accommodation to be taken away from the labouring class by those engaged in business in the City. In Dore there have been complaints of the shortage of houses for the working classes.

Four cases of overcrowding have been dealt with during the year and abated without legal proceedings.

The Council have ordered a systematic inspection of all houses under £16 a year rental, where defects are likely to exist.

Practically all the poorer houses in the district have plenty of open space about them and their surroundings are clean.

A careful supervision is exercised over the erection of all new houses, and they are required to conform to the bye-laws.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES—

The following cases of Infectious Diseases were notified during the year :—

Scarlatina	...	...	19	Enteric Fever	...	1
Diphtheria	...	...	3	Tubercular Disease	...	5

Of the nineteen cases of Scarlatina, 10 were notified from Totley Village and distributed as follows over the various months of the year :—

February	...	...	1	September	...	...	1
April	...	...	2	October	...	...	2
June	...	...	1	December	...	...	2
July	...	...	1				

Of the remaining cases :—

1 Greenhill (April).

1 Victoria Road (June).

4 Abbeydale Park (all in one house, October).

1 New Totley (December).

1 Dore (December).

1 Totley Brook Road (December).

DIPHTHERIA—

The Diphtheria cases were distributed as follows :—

- 1 The Holder, Totley (February).
- 1 Totley Brook Road (August).
- 1 Lowedges, Norton (September).

An undue proportion of Scarlatina cases were notified from Totley village, but, although careful enquiry was made into the milk supply and other local circumstances, no apparent cause for this high proportion of disease could be found. All these cases, with the exception of two, in the month of April, were removed to Hospital.

The three cases of Diphtheria were isolated from each other by time and distance.

The boy who suffered from Enteric Fever, at Greenhill, in May, presented well-marked symptoms of the disease, and his blood gave a well-marked Widal reaction. No case of Enteric Fever had occurred in the village since April, 1911, when patient's grandmother and three other persons suffered from the disease. Patient often had his meals in the grandmother's house and there is little doubt that she acted as a "carrier." The grandmother had been specially warned of the possibility of imparting infection to others, and had also been given printed instructions with regard to the precautions she should adopt. The grandmother is now dead.

In addition to the facilities provided by the County Council for bacteriological diagnosis, the Council have for many years paid for such examinations at Sheffield University. In Diphtheria particularly, rapidity of trustworthy diagnosis is a great aid both to the treatment of the patient and the prevention of its extension to others.

The cost of Diphtheria Antitoxin, both for treatment and prophylaxis, is defrayed by the Council.

Four cases of pulmonary tuberculosis and one case of tubercular disease of the glands of the neck were notified during the year.

The visitation of tubercular cases notified has been carried out by the County Council Nurse, and disinfection of houses, when required, by your Sanitary Inspector.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

A. K. GALE.

OCCUPATIONAL DEATHS.				1913.		
				MALES.	FEMALES.	
1. Professions, Commerce, Official, and Domestic (I.-V.)	...	...	...	4	...	—
2. Conveyance (VI.)	...	...	...	—	...	—
3. Agriculture and Fishing (VII. & VIII.)	...			3	...	—
4. In and about Mines (IX.)	...	...		—	...	—
5. Workers in Metals (X. and XI.)	...	...		1	...	—
6. Building Construction and Wood Construction (XII. and XIII.)	...	...		—	...	—
7. Bricks, Chemicals, Skins, and Paper (XIV.-XVII.)	...	...	...	—	...	—
8. Textiles (XVIII.)	...	...	...	—	...	—
9. All others (XIX.-XXII.)	...	...	...	1	...	—

TABLE I.
VITAL STATISTICS OF NORTON RURAL DISTRICT DURING 1913
AND PREVIOUS YEARS.

YEAR.	Popula- tion estimated to Middle of each Year.	BIRTHS.			TOTAL DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE DISTRICT.		TRANSFERABLE DEATHS.		NETT DEATHS BELONGING TO THE DISTRICT.			
		Uncor- rected Number	Nett.		Number	Rate.	of Non- resid'nts regis- tered in the District.	of Resi- dents not reg- istered in the District.	Under 1 Year of Age.		At all Ages.	
			Number	Rate.					Number	Rate per 1,000 Nett Births.	Number	Rate.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
1908	4066	67	...	16.47	37	9.99	...	4	5	74.6	41	10.08
1909	4219	77	...	18.25	42	9.99	...	3	6	77.91	45	10.66
1910	4470	79	...	17.67	24	5.36	...	6	3	37.97	30	6.71
1911	3933	70	...	17.79	23	5.86	1	6	3	40.28	29	7.39
1912	4033	75	77	19.09	36	8.9	...	4	4	51.94	40	9.91
1913	4203	74	74	17.84	41	9.75	...	2	6	81.08	43	10.23

NOTE.—This Table is arranged to show the gross births and deaths in the district, and the births and deaths properly belonging to it with the corresponding rates. For years before 1911 some of the corrected rates probably will not be available. The rates should be calculated per 1000 of the estimated gross population. In a district in which large Public Institutions for the sick or infirm seriously affect the statistics, the rates in Columns 5 and 13 may be calculated on a nett population, obtained by deducting from the estimated gross population the average number of inmates not belonging to the district in such institutions.

Area of District in acres (land and inland water)	...	...	...	8404
Total population at all ages	...	...	...	3919
Number of inhabited houses	...	...	...	921
Average number of persons per house	...	...	...	4.25

TABLE II.

CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE NOTIFIED DURING THE YEAR 1913.

NOTIFIABLE DISEASE.	NUMBER OF CASES NOTIFIED.								TOTAL CASES NOTIFIED.		TOTAL CASES REMOV'D TO HOSPIT'L
	At all Ages.	At Ages—Years.									
		Under 1.	1 and under 5 years.	5 and under 15 years.	15 and under 25 years.	25 and under 45 years.	45 and under 65 years.	65 and upwards.	Norton and Beauchief.	Dore and Totley.	
Small Pox ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cholera, Plague ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diphtheria (including Membranous croup) ...	3	1	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...
Erysipelas ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Scarlet fever ...	19	2	16	...	1	...	...	...	2	17	15
Typhus fever ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Enteric fever ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1
Relapsing fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Continued fever ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Puerperal fever ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Poliomyelitis ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4	...	1	...	3	...	...	...	1	3	...
Other forms of Tuberculosis	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
TOTALS ...	28	3	21	...	4	...	...	...	5	23	16

TABLE III.

CAUSES OF, AND AGES AT DEATH, DURING THE YEAR 1913.

CAUSE OF DEATH.				Nett Deaths at the subjoined ages of "Residents" whether occurring within or without the District.									Total Deaths, whether of "Residents" or "Non-Residents" in Institutions in the District.
				ALL AGES.	Under 1 year.	1 and under 2 yrs.	2 and under 5 yrs.	5 and under 15 yrs.	15 and under 25 yrs.	25 and under 45 yrs.	45 and under 65 yrs.	65 and upwards.	
1				2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
All causes	Certified	...	...	37	5	1	...	1	4	5	9	12	...
	Uncertified	...	...	4	1	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	
1. Enteric Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2. Small Pox	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
3. Measles	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
4. Scarlet Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
5. Whooping Cough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
6. Diphtheria and Croup	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
7. Influenza	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8. Erysipelas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9. Phthisis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
(Pulmonary Tuberculosis)	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
10. Tuberculous Meningitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
11. Other Tuberculous Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
12. Cancer, malignant disease	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
13. Rheumatic Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
14. Meningitis	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
15. Organic Heart Disease	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
16. Bronchitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
17. Pneumonia (all forms)	...	...	...	8	1	...	...	...	1	2	3	1	...
18. Other diseases of respiratory organs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
19. Diarrhoea and Enteritis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
20. Appendicitis and Typhlitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21. Cirrhosis of Liver	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21a. Alcoholism	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
22. Nephritis & Bright's Disease	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...
23. Puerperal Fever	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
24. Other accidents & diseases of Pregnancy & Parturition	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
25. Congenital Debility and Malformation, including Premature Birth	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
26. Violent Deaths, excluding Suicide	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...
27. Suicide	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
28. Other Defined Diseases	...	...	...	17	1	1	...	...	1	2	3	9	...
29. Diseases ill-defined or unknown	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
TOTALS				43	6	1	...	1	6	7	10	12	...
SUB-ENTRIES included in above figures.	14, Cerebro-spinal Meningitis	...	...										
	28. Poliomyelitis	...	...										
	*												
	*												

*Sub-Entries should here be made for other deaths which it is desirable to distinguish, on account of their administrative importance or special interest (*e.g.*, any deaths from Anthrax, Typhus, or Glanders, which have been included under 28, Other Defined Diseases; or deaths from Pneumonia other than Broncho-Pneumonia which have been included under 17, Pneumonia all forms).

TABLE IV.
INFANT MORTALITY.

1913. NETT DEATHS FROM STATED CAUSES AT VARIOUS AGES UNDER 1 YEAR OF AGE.

CAUSES OF DEATH.				Under 1 week.	1-2 weeks.	2-3 weeks.	3-4 weeks.	4 weeks & under 3 months.	3 months & under 6 months.	6 months & under 9 months.	9 months & under 12 months.	Total Deaths under 1 year.
All causes	{ Certified ...	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	6
	{ Uncertified	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Small Pox	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Chicken Pox	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Measles	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Scarlet Fever	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Whooping Cough	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Diphtheria and Croup	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Erysipelas	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Tuberculous Meningitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Abdominal Tuberculosis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Other Tuberculous Diseases	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Meningitis (not Tuberculous)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Convulsions	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1
{	Laryngitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Bronchitis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Pneumonia (all forms)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	Diarrhœa	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Enteritis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Gastritis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Syphilis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Rickets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Suffocation, overlying	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Injury at birth	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Atelectasis	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Congenital Malformations	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Premature birth	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	4
	Atrophy, Debility, and	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
{	Marasmus	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Other Causes	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
TOTALS				2	...	1	...	1	1	...	1	6

Nett Births in the year—

Legitimate ... 73

Illegitimate ... 1

Nett Deaths in the year of

Legitimate Infants ... 6

Illegitimate Infants ... —

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE MEDICAL OFFICER OF HEALTH FOR THE
YEAR 1913, FOR THE RURAL DISTRICT OF NORTON ON THE
ADMINISTRATION OF THE FACTORY AND WORKSHOP ACT, 1901,
IN CONNECTION WITH FACTORIES, WORKSHOPS, WORKPLACES AND
HOMEWORK.

1.—INSPECTION OF FACTORIES, WORKSHOPS AND WORKPLACES.
Including Inspections made by Sanitary Inspectors or Inspectors of Nuisances.

Premises. (1)	Number of		
	Inspections. (2)	Written Notices. (3)	Prosecutions. (4)
Factories (Including Factory Laundries)			
Workshops (Including Workshop Laundries)	26	...	...
Workplaces (Other than Outworkers' premises in- cluded in Part 3 of this Report)			
TOTAL	26	None	None

2.—DEFECTS FOUND IN FACTORIES, WORKSHOPS, AND WORKPLACES.

Particulars. (1)	Number of Defects.			Number of Prosecu- tions. (5)
	Found, (2)	Remedied, (3)	Referred to H.M. Inspector. (4)	
<i>Nuisances under the Public Health Acts :—*</i>				
Want of cleanliness	...	...	...	...
Want of ventilation	...	...	...	...
Overcrowding	...	...	...	...
Want of drainage of floors	...	...	...	...
Other nuisances	...	...	...	...
Sanitary accommodation—				
Insufficient	...	...	...	...
Unsuitable or defective	...	...	...	...
Not separate for sexes	...	...	...	...
<i>Offences under the Factory and Workshop Acts :—</i>				
Illegal occupation of underground bakehouse (s.101)	...	...	...	...
Breach of special sanitary requirements for bakehouses (ss. 97 to 100)	...	...	...	...
Other offences (excluding offences relating to outwork which are included in Part 3 of this Report)	...	...	...	...
TOTAL	...	...	...	...

*Including those specified in Sections 2, 3, 7 and 8 of the Factory and Workshop Act, 1901, as remediable under the Public Health Acts.

[illegible]

Workshops on the Register (s. 131) at the end of the year.									Number.
(1)									(2)
File Cutters' Shops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
File Forger's Shop	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Joiners' Shops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Blacksmith's Shops	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3
Brick Works	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Bakehouse	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Sausage Factory	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1
Total number of Workshops on Register									13

5.—OTHER MATTERS.

Class. (1)	Number. (2)
Matters notified to H.M. Inspector of Factories :—	
Failure to affix Abstract of the Factory and Workshop Acts (s. 133, 1901)	...
Action taken in matters referred by H.M. Inspector as remediable under the Public Health Acts, but not under the Factory and Workshop Acts (s. 5, 1901)	
Notified by H.M. Inspector	...
Reports (of action taken) sent to H.M. Inspector	...
Other	...
Underground Bakehouses (s. 101) :—	
Certificates granted during the year	...
In use at the end of the year	...

ANNUAL REPORT OF SANITARY INSPECTOR, 1913.

NORTON RURAL SANITARY DISTRICT.

Name of Inspector ... EDWARD A. SAMPSON, Assoc. R.S.I.

Area of District ... 8,404 Estimated No. of Houses ... 991
New Houses erected 1913 ... 40

HOUSING AND TOWN PLANNING—

No. of Houses Inspected under Section 17, 335	No. Unfit for Habitation, 1	Representations made to Local Authority as to Defects, 84	Number Repaired without Closing Order, 22	Number Closed, 1	Number Repaired Voluntarily, 62
	No Closing	Order made.	No Houses demolished.		

	No. of Informal Notices Served by Sanitary Inspector	No. of Legal Notices Served by Local Authority	No. of Nuisances abated with or without Notice
DRAINAGE—			
Redrainage of Premises ...	2	—	2
No Disconnection of Waste Pipe ...	9	1	10
Defective Traps, Inlets, and Drains ...	18	1	19
Drains Obstructed ...	4	2	6
Cesspools ...	6	—	6

CLOSETS AND ASHPITS—

Insanitary Privies, Pail Closets, and Ashpits ...	7	2	9
Additional Closet Accommodation ...	—	—	—
Conversion of Privies into W.Cs. ...	5	—	5
Conversion of Pail Closets into W.Cs....	—	—	—
Defective Water Closets ...	—	—	—

OTHER DEFECTS—

Paving of Courts and Yards and Houses	5	2	7
Eaves-Spouts and Down-Spouts ...	—	—	—
Urinals Defective ...	1	—	1
Water Supply ...	2	1	3
Offensive Accumulations ...	3	—	3
Animals improperly kept ...	1	—	1
Pigsties ...	1	—	1
Smoke Nuisances ...	—	—	—
Overcrowding ...	4	—	4
Water in Cellars ...	1	1	—
Foul Condition of Houses ...	1	—	1
Nuisances not specified above ...	—	—	—
Totals ...	70	10	78

Nuisances
Abated with

	No. on Register.	Inspections Made.	Notices Served.	or without Notice.
Dairies, Cowsheds, and Milkshops ...	46	71	6	6
Bakehouses ...	1	4	—	—
Slaughter-houses ...	1	4	—	—
Offensive Trades ...	—	—	—	—
Common Lodging-houses ...	—	—	—	—
TOTALS ...	48	79	6	6

Infected Rooms Disinfected, 28. Method, Formalin. Infected bedding is sent away for disinfection.

Signed, EDWARD A. SAMPSON, Assoc. R.S.I.

NORTON RURAL DISTRICT COUNCIL.

WORK DONE UNDER HOUSING AND TOWN PLANNING ACT, 1909, DURING 1913.

PARISH.	No of Houses.	Description or Situation.	Date of In- spec- tion	Date of report to Council.	Defects.	Action taken by Council.	Result of Action.
Dore...	1	Townhead Road ...	Jan.	Mch.	Roof out of repair, privy dilapidated	Notice served.	Defects remedied.
"	5	Brick House Lane ...	June	Sep.	Privies dilapidated, roofs and paving defective	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	
"	4	Marsden's Houses (Dore Village)	"	"	Sink gulleys defective	Notice served.	Defects remedied.
"	1	Ivy Cottage, Dore ...	"	"	Privy slightly defective	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	
"	6	Greenwood Mount ...	"	"	No defects found.		
"	4	Savage Lane and The Green	"	"	Defective privies, no ashpits	Notices served.	
"	2	The Green ...	"	"	No defects found.		
"	1	Church Lane ...	"	"	No ashpit	Notice served.	
"	2	Drury Lane ...	"	"	Uncovered ashpits	Notices served.	
"	4	Townhead Road ...	"	"	Fall pipe defective	Notice served.	Defect remedied.
"	12	Barrack's Row ...	"	"	Privies dilapidated, general repairs	Notices served.	
"	2	Chapel Houses ...	"	"	No defects found.		
Norton (Greenhill)	7	Milner's Row ...	Aug.	"	Defective privies and ashpits, general repairs	Notices served.	Work in hand.
"	4	Jackson's Row ...	"	"	Slight repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	
"	4	Main Road ...	"	"	No defects found.		
"	3	Andrew's Row, Main Road	"	"	Uncovered ashpits, defective flagging	Notices served.	Defects remedied.
"	5	Main Road ...	"	"	No defects found.		
"	4	Sharpe's Row ...	"	"	Wet ashpits	Notices to tenants.	Notices complied with.
"	3	School Lane ...	"	"	Privies and ashpits dilapidated, general repairs	Notices served.	
"	4	The Hollow ...	"	"	Defective sink gullies	Notices served.	Defects remedied.
"	1	Near "White Hart Inn"	"	"	No water supply; defective drainage, paving and flooring; general repairs	Notice served.	Defects remedied.
"	2	Rose Cottages ...	"	"	Drainage and privies defective, general repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	
"	1	Croftthorne ...	"	"	Uncovered ashpit	Notice served.	Defect remedied.
"	3	Post Office Row ...	"	"	General small repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	
"	15	Main Road ...	"	"	Defective privies and general repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	
"	4	Ivy Cottages ...	"	"	Cesspools full	Notice served.	Notice complied with.
"	4	Benson's Yard ...	"	"	No defects found.		
"	3	Hemper Cottages ...	"	"	Defective drainage, no ashpits, repairs	Notices served.	Work partly done.
"	1	Lodge, Bradway ...	"	"	Unsatisfactory water supply	Notice served.	Sheffield water laid on.
"	4	W. Wilson's Row ...	"	"	No defects found		

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Norton	...	Main Road ...	Aug.	Sep.	Defective drainage, privies, and ashpits; dampness and general repairs	Notices served.	Work being put in hand.
"	2	Midland Cottages	"	"	Cesspools full, general repairs	Notices served.	Notices partly complied with.
"	8	Stone Row ...	"	"	Wet ashpits ...	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.
"	1	Brick Row ...	"	"	No ashpit, general repairs.	Notice served.	Work not yet commenced.
"	6	Brick Row ...	"	"	Privies defective, yard paving bad	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.
"	4	Tomlinson's Row	"	"	No defects found.		
"	1	"	"	"	Unroofed ashpit, general repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.
"	5	Twentywell Cottages	"	"	No defects found.		
"	1	Twentywell Brickyard.	"	"	Water supply doubtful, defective drainage, uncovered ashpit	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.
Norton	...	Maugerhay ...	"	"	Drainage defective, some privies dilapidated, general repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.
"	3	Hemsworth ...	"	"	No defects found.		
"	1	Hemsworth ...	"	"	Fall pipe defective	Notice served.	Notice complied with.
"	15	Hemsworth ...	"	"	General repairs	Notices served.	Work being put in hand.
"	1	Toll Bar Cottage	"	"	Small repairs, house very damp	Committee to inspect further and report to Council	Committee to inspect further and report to Council
"	1	White Rose Cottage	"	"	Drainage defective, very dilapidated	Notice served.	House closed.
Totley	4	Rolling Mill Cottages	July	"	Sundry small repairs.		
"	6	Brick Row ...	"	"	No defects found.		
"	15	Brick Row ...	"	"	General repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.
"	34	Lemont Rd., Mickley Lane & Totley Rise	"	"	Some ashpits and privies defective, general repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.
"	3	Hillfoot Road	"	"	No defects found.		
"	7	Hillfoot Road	"	"	Privies and ashpits dilapidated, and general repairs	Notices served.	Work partly done.
"	9	Totley Bents	"	"	Privies and ashpits dilapidated, general repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.
"	26	Hall Lane, Lane Head and Hillfoot Road	"	"	Privies and ashpits dilapidated, defective drainage, and general repairs	Notices served.	Work being put in hand.
"	15	Summer Lane	"	"	No defects found.		
"	17	Grange Terrace and Shrewsbury Terrace	"	"	No defects found.		
"	2	Cannon Hall Lane	"	"	Very dilapidated, drainage defective	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.
"	4	Earnshaw's Lodge & Cannon Hall Lane	"	"	General repairs	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.	Committee to inspect further and report to Council.